## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

To-Morrow and To-Day.

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To-morrow wealth may fly away, or
turn to ashes grey;
But not the wealth of noble deeds and
duty dene to-day;
To-morrow fame's bright flowered crown
may wither on the strand;
But not the laurel wreath of love, wrought
by the helping hand:

To-morrow, when the ears are dull, that long to hear your voice.

The loving words you spoke to-day will bid your heart redoice;
To-morrow, when from silent lips the smile shall disappear.

Tou will be glad if through to-day they smiled when you were near.

Boyond the hills to-morrow smiles and beckens with her hand.
To fairer fields of beauty in a mystle summer land;
But there the trees whose bending boughs the richest fruits display.

Are common trees transplanted from the garden of to-day.

—J. Mervin Hall.

Dr. Thomas Here.

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Dr. George Thomas, of the University of North Dakota, is the guest of his uncle, Mr. Robert N. Thomas, at No. 207 East Franklin Street.

Dr. Thomas, who formerly lived in Richmond, and is still held in highest esteem by his many friends here is a Virghian of whose career his State may be justly proud.

He is a distinguished alumnus of the University of Virginia, who won his doctor's degree at Leipsic during a several years' ceurse of study abrond. He is now dean of the College of Liberal Arts in the State University of North Dakota, and occupies a prominent place among men of his profession in the United States.

Heches been warmly welcomed back to

United States.

He-has been warmly welcomed back to Richmond, and has received many flattering social attentions since his arrival.

Dr. Thomas, who is still a young man, looks remarkably well, and, while thoroughly a Virginian in sentiment and at heart, has very pleasant things to say of his adopted home in the West.

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Excursion to Jamestown.

The Young Ladies' League of Calvary
Baptist Church will give an excursion
to Jamestown on July 20th, for the benpitt of the organ fund of the church.

This will probably be the last opportunity offered in an excursion for those
roing to see Jamestown before the work

roing to see Jameston.

5f improvement begins.

A delightful all-day water trip is offered as an inducement. Young ladies
who are members of the league are Miss
who are Mrs. George R. Whitfield, who are members of the league the Aries Pannie Horn, Mrs. George H. Whitfield Miss Lucy Moseley, Miss Etta Cottrell Miss Dalsy Wilson, Misses Duke Miss Julia Ryland, Misse Duke Timberlake, Miss Sally Russell, Misses Busle and Lucy McCarthy, Miss Cammie Rider, and others.

Estes-Smith.

Estes—Smith.

The marriage of Miss Sadie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rice Smith, to Mr. Elllott Estes, Jr., of Spartanburg, S. C., will take place very quietly at 7 o'clock this evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Travers, No. 602 West Franklin Street, the Rev. Dr. William E. Evans, of Monumental Episcopal Church, established.

The bride will be attended by her sisters Misses Bessie and Edith Smith, and ters, Misses Bessie and Edith Smith, and the groom will have his brother, Mr. Estes, as best man. Mr. Estes and his wife will live in Spar-

Stay-at-Home Whist.

The Stay-at-Home Whist Club held its regular weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Arthur P. Wilmer, sixteen players participating. Top score was made by Mrs. T. N. Carroll and Mr. Thomas N. Moore. The club will meet next week with Miss Helen Montague.

Pleasant Excursion.

A most delightful eight-day trip is i store for those who go with Mrs. Anna I Rahm and Miss Bettle Ellyson on the Rahm and Miss Bettle Ellyson on the tour they have planned this year.
Leaving Richmond by the York River Line at 4:20 P. M., on July 25th, the party will go to Niagara, Toronto and Philadelphia. Tally-ho rides and other pastimes will be included, and arrangoments will allow for a visit to Atlantic City on the return trip. The proceeds will go to the Retreat for the Blck.

These outlings under the joint

These outings under the join chaperonage of Mrs. Rahm and Miss El lyson have become deservedly popular among Richmond society people and are eagerly looked forward to by a large number of the "smart set" of this city

Personal Mention.

Mrs. T. J. Chapman, of Smithfield, Va is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Willian Tallaferro, in Essex county. Dr. George Ross has returned to the A. J. Var the city.

Mrs. Frank Hough, who has been vis-liting friends in Richmond and Washing-ton, has returned to her country home.

# Good Luck

Makes the Well-Bred

# Baking Powder

# Poems You Ought to Know

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Prof. Charles Eliot Norton.

## Thou Hast Sworn by Thy God, My Jeanie

By ALLAN CUNNINGHAM.

A sketch of the life of Alian Cunningham (1784-1842) has appeared in this series. The poem below was addressed to Miss Jane Walker, whom the post married in July, 1811.

Thou hast sworn by thy God, my Jeanie,
By that pretty white hand o' thine,
And by a' the lowing stars in heaven,
That thou would aye be mine;
And I ha'e sworn by my God, my Jeanie,
And by that kind heart o' thine,
By a' the stars sown thick over heaven,
That thou shalt a' be mine.

Then foul fa' the hands that wad lose sic bands, And the heart that wad part sic love; But there's nae hand that can loose the band But there's me hand that can loose the hand
But the finger o' God above.

Though the wee, wee cot maun be my belld,
And my clatthing e'er sae mean,
I wad lap me up rich i' the faulds o' luve,
Hoaven's armfu' o' my Jean.

Fu' safter than the down;
And luve wad winnow owre us his kind, kind wings,
And sweetly I'd sleep, an' sound'. Come here to me, thou lass o' my love, Come here, and kneel wi' me; The morning is fu' o' the presence o' God. And a canna pray without thee.

The morn-wind is sweet 'mang the beds o' new flowers, The wee birds sing kindlie an' hie; Our gudeman leans owre his kale-yard dyke, And a blythe auld bodie is he. The Beuk maun be ta'en when the carl comes hame,
Wi' the holie psalmodie,
And thou maun speak o' me to thy God,

Mr. L. Bruce Reynolds has returned to Newport News, after a visit to Rich mond.

Miss Mabel Phillips is the guest of Mrs.

Miss Nettle Mosby is spending the summer in the home of her brother, Dr. Ernest Mosby, in Waynesboro, Va.

The Rev. J. T. Riddick, assistant pastor

Mr. J. R. Williams, who has been visiting Dr. N. Williams, in Hampton, has re-

Mrs. Andrew Haynes and Miss Lillian Haynes left Monday for Elmira, N. Y., to be gone the remainder of the summer.

Three New Charters.

Sunday Schools at West Point.

DOCTOR'S SHIFT

a visit to Brambleton.

W. F. Phillips, in mampton.

And I will speak o' thee. This series began in The Times-Dispatch Sunday, Oct. 11, 1908. One is published

"Shamrock," in Albemarie county. Mrs. Hough spent several days in Culpeper en her way home, where she attended the Horse Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis S. Woodson and Miss Frances Woodson are spending the summer at Midothian, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Guest are "Snowden," Spotsylvania county, for . . . .

Misses Emily Wilson and Selita Cooke, of Norfolk, were recently the guests of Mrs. Charles Cooke in this city.

The Rev. Dr. J. Calvin Stewart is spending this week in Lunenburg county where he is conducting a series of meet-

Mrs. Russell Binns, of this city, is spending the summer with her sister Miss Pearl Booth, at Mariboro, Va.

Messrs. W. A. and A. B. Jones, of this city, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. W. A. Black, in Staunton.

Mrs. John Stayma is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Loring A. Cover in Washington Street, Winchester, John W. Forway, who were married Saturday in Portsmouth, are spending a part of their hineymoon in this city. Mrs. Foreway was Miss Emily Frances Prater before her marriage.

Mrs. Mary Crump, accompanied by her daughters Misses Mary and Alice Shipplett, spent Baturday and Bunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Snell in Harrisonburg. On Monday they left for Mt. Crawford to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Funkhouser before returning to Rick mond.

Mr. Everett Butter, of this city, is the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Butter, in Caroline county.

The Rev. Dr. Jere Witherspoon is spending his vacation near New York city.

Mr. Watson Ellerson, of this My, it visiting friends in Winchester.

The Rev. H. M. McIlhany has returned to Charlottesvill, after spending Sunday in this city, where he filled the pulpit of St. James Episcopai Church.

Mr. John Cary White is spending the yeek visiting relatives in Caroline county

Revs. Fathers W. A. McKeefrey and A. J. Van Ingelgem, of Staunton, Fre in

Rear-Admiral and Mrs. William Turn-Mrs. Goorge W. Parsons, who has been under treatment at St. Luke's Hospital, has returned to her home, No. 2217 West Main Street, and is doing very well.

Dr. W. T. Warriner, of Crewe, spent Monday in the city on professional business.

Rear-Admiral and Mrs. William Turnibul Burwell have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Mary Bradford, to Lieutenant Edgar Brown Will' take place Saturday evening, July 21st, at 8 o'clock, at the navy-yard, Puget Sound, Washington.

Misses Lena and Hattle Shields, of this city, were among those present at the hop given Saturday evening at the Chamberlin Hotel, Old Point Comfort.

Miss Julia Ryland has returned from a short visit to friends in Caroline county.

Mr. John M. Miller is visiting in Lynchburg. ... The Rev. R. T. Wilson, D. D., presid-ng elder of the Richmond District, is a uest of the Rev. George E. Booker in harlottesville.

Mr. Hill Montague is in Lynchburg for

Mr. Reuben Broaddus is spending some time with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Broaddus, in Bowling Green, Va.

Mr. Samuel Caves, of Philadelphia, who has been living for several years in Albemaric county, has sold his property at Chemont, near Keswick, to Mrs. Lalla Fairfield, of Washington, D. Q. Mr. Caves will go West for a time, and will return, to live near Keswick.

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Miss Fannie Van Vort has returned from a month's stay at Atlantic City.

Miss Charlotte Wray has returned to Hampton, after attending the normal school here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hudgins, of New Canton, Va., have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Mabel Annie, to Mr. Claude Layton Goodman, of Newport News. The marriage will take place in Mount Zion Baptist Church, Buckingham county, Va., on July 1th.

Mrs. John D. Clothler is visiting her sister, Mrs. Percy Loth, at Waynesboro.

Miss Cassie Robertson was recently the guest of friends in Newport News.

Mr. Frederick W. Scott, of "Royal"

Miss Pannie Van Vort has returned to stonach.

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In the first place, the starchy part of the wheat and barley goes through various processes of cooking, to perfectly an easily absorbed by the blood. The parts in the wheat and barley which Nature can make use of for rebuilding brain and nerve centres are retained in this remarkable food, and thus the human body is supplied with the powerful strength producers so easily noticed after on her easily adventure and the easily absorbed by the blood. The parts in the wheat and barley which Nature can make use of for rebuilding brain and nerve centres are retained in this remarkable food, and thus the human body is supplied with the powerful strength producers so easily noticed after on her easily absorbed by the blood, The parts in the wheat and barley goes through various processes of cooking, to perfectly an easily absorbed by the blood. The parts in the wheat and barley goes through various processes of for rebuilding brain and the processes of cooking, to perfectly an easily absorbed by the blood. The parts in the wheat and barley goes through various proce

Tooth Powder

Used by people of refinement for over a quarter of a century. Convenient for tourists.

S. M. Lyon, D.D.S.

# REAL ESTATE NOTES: INTERESTING SALES

Auctioneers Will Be Busy To-Day and To-Morrow if the Weather Will Permit.

There was decided quietness in real ed decidedly quiet, not to say dull, to an outsider, but there was said to be something going on behind the vell, through which a newspaper man is never allowed to peep until all the papers have been signed, sealed and delivered.

It is believed that several big deals were brought several degrees nearer to consummation yesterday, but no one can made a real estate man open his mouth and tell things after he has once made up his mind to close it and keep it

Sales To-Day and To-Morrow. Some very interesting auction sales of realty are scheduled for to-day and to-

To-day, beginning at 5 o'clock, J. B

morrow.

To-day, beginning at 5 o'clock, J. H. Ellam & Co., and Augustine Royali & Co. will sell three lots of land in Chesterfield county, near the Manchester city limits, and at 8 o'clock they will sell eleven lots in the city of Manchester. These sales are to be made for D. C. Richardson, special commissioner, under a decree of the Circuit Court of Henrico county.

At 6 o'clock this afternoon J. Thompson Brown & Co., Edward S. Rose Company and Green & Redd will sell "Walling and the county of the city of the city five acres of land belonging to the lity-five acres of land belonging to the place. At 6:30, or immediately after the sale of Walnut Hill, the same concerns will sell two frame houses and lots near the western limits of the city, fronting on Eggleston Street, near Winder Street. All of this property will be sold for H. St. John Coalter and Jo. Lano Stern, special commissioners, acting under a decree of the Circuit Court of Henrico county.

At 6 o'clock this afternoon J. D. Carneal & Son will sell for James W. Gordon, special commissioner, acting under a decree of the Circuit Court of Henrico county.

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To-morrow, at 6 o'clock P. M., Green

Miss Myra Ackiss, of Oceana, Va., is the guest of Miss Mary Page Morris, in Brambleton. Both these young ladles will be remembered by Richmond people as among the most attractive of the students at the Woman's College last Street. To-morrow, at 6 o'clock P. M., Green

To-morrow, at 8 o'clock P. M., Green & Redd will sell the new two-story brick dwelling, No. 1913 Ivy Street, and at 6:30 P. M. they will sell the nine-room brick residence, No. 1921 Ivy Street.

To-morrow at the same hour, J. Thompson Brown & Co. will sell several valuable West End-toll on Dooley Avenue, corner Main Street. They will sell five lots in ally.

At the same hour to-morrow Pollard

The Rev. G. G. Minor and Miss Carrie Armistead are visiting Mr. W. H. Tal-bott, in Waynesboro, Va. Miss Eliza Plummer, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to her home in Newport News.

# Misses Troy and McDonough, of the Memorial Hospital, are the guests of Mrs. S. S. Hopkins, in Waynesboro. Miss Helen Dexter has returned from

District Conference, West Richmond District, Holding a Three-Days' Session There.

The West Richmond District Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South met with the church at Bon Air yesterday and will be in session to-day and

Three New Charters.

The State Corporation Commission yesterday granted the following charters:
The Grant Supply Company (Inc.).
Roanoke: William F. Churchman, president, Roanoke: William F. Churchman, president, Roanoke: William K. Ewing, vice-president, St. Louis Mo.; J. W. Hartwell, secretary Roanoke: Capital, 310,000.

Westover Heights Company (Inc.).
Lynchburg; W. B. Keys, president, Norfolk, Va.; L. C. Blades, vice-president, Elizabeth City, N. C.; J. B. Blades, secretary and treasurer, Newbern, N. C. Capital, \$60,000.

Portsmouth Cotton Oil Refining Corporation, Norfolk country: August C. Thom, president, New York, N. Y.; Louis Rosenstein, vice-president, Elsmordt, N. Y.; Adolf Aspegron, secretary and treas-The conference met promptly at clock, with Rev. Dr. R. T. Wilson, the presiding elder in the chair. The business session, which was opened with devo-tional exercises, lasted until 11 o'clock, tional exercises, lasted until 11 o'clock, after which a solemn sacramental service was held. Pelv. J. K. Jolliff, paster of the Central Church, Manchester, preached the quenting sermon.
Rev. J. T. Mastin, Superintendent of the Methodist Orphunage, addressed the conference in the interest of the enterprise, of which he is the head. Y.; Adolf Aspegren, secretary and treas-urer, New York, N. Y. Capital, \$150,000.

At 1 o'clock the large congregation was invited to the beautiful grove near the church where a bountiful repast was enjoyed. Brunswick stew and a regular old-fashioned picnic dinner were features of the spread.

Another business session of the confer-

Sunday Schools at West Point.

The Sunday school of Clopton Street Church will hold its annual outing at Beach Park to-day, the train leaving the Southern depot in Manchester at 8 o'clock sharp. Returning, it will leave Beach Park at 7 o'clock this evening. A large attendance is expected.

Twenty coaches have been engaged by Pine Street Baptist, which will go to Beach Park to-morrow, and others will be added if necessary.

Everything is looking fine at the park, and the Twillighs Limited is carrying large crowds. Any who wish may remain at this breesy resort after their excursion train has left, and return on the "Twillight" at 10 o'clock.

the spread.

Another business session of the conference was held in the afternoon, lasting until 5 o'clock.

At night Rev. W. S. Hayes, of Barton Heights, preached to a large and very attentive congregation.

Thirty-odd delegates were in attendance vesterday upon the business sessions, and

yesterday upon the business sessions, and a much larger number is expected to-Rev. R. H. Bennet, D. D., of Randolph Macon College, will at 11 of clock this morning preach the conference mission-

ary sermon.

It is excepted that the attendance today of both delegates and visitors will
be very large, and the good people of
son Air and Midlothian have arranged
to entertain all who come with an oldfashioned picnic dinner and Brunswick

Mr. Ryland Here.

A physician says; "Until last fall I wand to eat meat for my breakfast and suffered with indigestion until the meat lad passed from the stomach.

"Last fall I began the use of Grape-Nuts for breakfast and very soon found I could do without meat, for my body got all the nourishment necessary from the Grape-Nuts, and since then I have not had any indigestion and am feeling better and have increased in weight.

"Since finding the benefit I derived from Grape-Nuts I have prescribed the food for all of my patients suffering from indigestion or over-feeding and also for those recovering from disease where I want a food easy to take and certain to digest and which will not overtax the stomach.

"I always find the results I look for Mr. Walter H. Ryland, editor of the Southside Sentinel, Urbanna, Va., is in the city, having come to be operated on at St. Luke's Hospital, Mr. Kyland is a Richmond boy, but has for some years made his home in Middlesex, where he conducts a live country paper and practices law.

Will Show Them the Sights. Major Charles C. Saville, clerk of the Channery Court, will conduct a party of City Hall attaches through Idlewood tonight. The party will consist at about a dozen of the officials and associates of the City Hall.

Plant Sold at Auction.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALISBURY, N. C., July 10.—The plant of the Brown Furniture Company in this city was sold at auction yesterday for \$1.000, the purcaser being N. B. McCanless, of Salisbury. The factory was recently placed in the hands of a receiver and operations suspended awaiting an adjustment of the indobtodness of the concern, which amounts to considerably more than the assets. It is stated that the stockholders will receive nothing.

# Dr. Lyon's TO TEAR DOWN CONGRETE WALL

Supervisors of Henrico Decide That Portion of Jail is Not Up to Standard,

FRAYSER WRITES ARCHITECT

Chairman of Board Tells Mr. Bryant He Will Not Vote to Pay for Such Work.

Sub-Contractor A. M. McClay, who is

doing the concrete work on the walls of the Henrico county juli, was ordered by Architect Bryant and the Board of Supervisors of the county yesterday atternoon to tear down the wall that he had built and to concrete it answ in ac-

had built and to concrete a cordance with the contract
Mr. W. B. Frayser, Chairman of the
Board of Supervisors of the county,
watched the work done by the employer
and spaid convinced that the Board of Supervisors of the Country, watched the work done by the employes of Mr. Clay and was convinced that the concrete was not satisfactory. He therefore made a complaint to Architect Bryant and at once called a special meeting of the board yesterday. At his meeting it was found, after the members of the board, with Judge R. Carter South had examined the wall frocted, that, the concrete work was not up to the standard. Architect Bryant readily acquiesced and ordered the wall torn down. Sub-Contractor McClay will have to build the wall meeting of the board, read the following letter which he had sent to Architect Bryant, and this was the cause of the investigation of the wall, which follows:

Chairman Frayser's Letter.

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Laurel Spring Farm.

Henrico County, July 9, 1968.

Mr. Charles K. Bryant, Supervising Architect of Henrico Jail:

Dear Sir.—On Saturday morning, July 7th, I visited Henrico County Courthouse. Soon after getting there my attention was called to the small proportion of cement used in the concreate which was being used in the construction of the new jail.

Securing a chair, I took a seat at one of the windows of the courthouse overlooking the work, and soon satisfied myself that the specifications were not being compiled with as to the concrete.

crete.

I immediately attempted to communicate with you by bhone, and was told several times from your office that you were not in. I then sought Mr. Wharton, foreman for Ragland & Slaughter, subcontractor of the jail, and called his attention to the matter. After looking over the specifications in his possession, and being told by him that he had no specifications other than those of the footings of the concrete. I started in pursuit of you, and, as you know, found you at your office, and stated to you what I had seen. You immediately, after looking over the specifications, called up Ragland & Slaughter and notified them to have work on the concrete stopped immediately. You also stated to me that you would on Monday have the work done Saturday torn down. After leaving your office I stopped by the courthouse and found that your orders had been compiled with and work suspended. About 7 o'clock Saturday evening I was reliably informed that the stoppage was of short duration, the work being soon started up again and continued during the day.

Now, as a member of the board of

started up again and continued during the day.

Now, as a member of the board of supervisors of Henrico county, I desire to state that I shall neither vote to receive this work, nor will I vote to pay for the same, but shall use my efforts to have the work torn down and removed. I shall call a meeting of the board of supervisors for Tuesday, July 10th, at 10 o'clock, to further consider this matter and give you such assistance as you may desire from them. I am,

from them. I am,
Yours very respectfully,
W. B. FRAYSER,
Chairman Board of Supervisors
Henrico county, Va.

### TO JUNK DE BUNK.

Many of Those Who Waited on Justice John Took That Course. Justice John Took That Course.

Henry Shields, the negro man charged with attempted criminal assault upon an eleven-year-old negro girl, Alice Hogan, appeared in Police Court yesterday morning and was sent to jail for twelve months in default of security in the sum of \$300. His plea was that he was drunk at the time, and did not know what he was dolor.

was doing.

James Thomas, a noirro, interfered
with Policeman Johnny Duffy while the
said Duffy was making an arrest. Thomas
will think for sixty days about the matter, and then he will leave the Hotel de

unk. Richard Hudley and Arthur Mason, negroes, jointly stole a coat worth four dol-lars, the property of Lindsay Henderson. They will be in the resort forninst the placid Shockoe for two months.

Goes to Hope Mills.

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Dr. Benjamin J. Willingham, who has been resident physician at the Sheltering. Arms Hospital for a year past, has resigned his position there and will leave to-day for Hope Mills, N. C., where he will practice medicine.

Dr. Willingham is one of Richmond's brightest young men, a graduate of her splendid medical schools, and withan a young man of sterling character. The best wishes of a host of friends so with Dr. Willingham to his new home, where they feel sure success awaits him.

Greenhood, the exporter of 339 Sansome St., San Francisco, Concerning the report that cures for Bright's Disease and Diabetes have been discovered in San Francisco, Bentamin Brosworte Greenhood to send a small order, and if it really did the business they would send an important order. The trial for was sent. The above cable is the reply, it did the business They couldn't wait for a letter but cabled. Translated it cails for the important order of the first but cabled. Translated it cails for the important of the send of the sen



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cellence of Piano building. No lowering of quality to place them in a class with the so-called "commercial Pianos" offered by loud and shady dealers who have nothing at stake.

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# TWENTY-THREE" WAS THE WORD FOR HIM

Little Pickaninny Fairly Flies from Capitol at Sight of Stuffed Bear.

Stuffed Bear.

A most amusing incident occurred at the Capitol yesterday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock, in which the chief actor was a little ten-year-old negro boy, as black as the ace of spades.

The little pickanninny had never had an interior view of the beautiful new Capitol building, and he asked Richard Blankenship, who operates the elevator; if he might go up and take a peep at the main floor. Now, Mr. Blankenship is a kind-hearted man, and he replied in the affirmative, with the proviso that this aforesald piece of alligator bait should behave with proper decorum.

The little negro, wearing no more clothes than the law allows, slipped up the winding stairs, no one paying his movements further attention for the moment; but it was not long before he reappeared under such dreumstances as commanded the attention of all in sight or hearing.

It should be borne in mind that the

commanded the attention of all in signior hearing.

It should be borne in mind that the
Museum of the Department of Agriculture is being arranged in the old hall
of the House of Delegates, and, among
many other curiosities there, are a number of stuffed animals, including deer
and bears. While everything in the room
is in the confusion incident to moving in,
a big, black bear stands just on the inside of the large folding doors, in plain
view of the rotunds.

a big, black bear the large folding doors, in plain view of the large folding doors, in plain view of the letter of this little story reached a point near Houdon's Washington, in the rotunda, his eyes fell upon old bruin, and it was all over.

"Twenty-three" was his word, and he "skidood," almost falling his way down the steps, and fairly flying out of the long hall, on a dead run for his home. "What's the matter boy?" yelled Mr. Blankenship, but the negro only increased his pace. These words came back as he landed at one long leap out in the square: "Fo' de Lord, boss, dar's a bar upstairs, and dis sin't no time to talk."

And this was the last seen of the little black stranger about the Capitol.

### interfered MRS. JAMISON NOT CALLED

Was Unable to Leave Jail.

The case of Mrs. M. Jeannette Jamison was not called in the Police Court yesterday on account of her illness. She was at the city jail, under the treatment of Dr. W. S. Gordon, the jail physician.

scian.

She recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at a hospital in Philadelphia, and had just left that place when she was arrested and brought to Richmond. She was to have been given a preliminary trial yesterday morning, but her condition would not permit of her leaving the jail.

### SPANISH VETERAN CAMP.

Mass Meeting in Chamber of

Commerce To-Night,

A mass meeting will be held in the Chamber of Commerce at 8:30 o'clock to put on foot a movement for the organization of all the Richmond men who took part in the Suanish-American War into a local branch of the United Spanish War Veterans. Those who are interested in the movement are making an earnest endeavor to have all those who took part in the movement are making an earnest endeavor to have all those who took part in the movement are making an earnest endeavor to have all those who took part in the movement are making an earnest endeavor to have all those who took part in the movement are making an earnest endeavor to have all those who took part in the war to be present. The national organization, which will be urged to visit Richmond and the Jamestown Esposition next year, has its headquarters in Cleve-land, Ohio. Major Charles M. Miller, the communder, is now in Richmond in the interest of the new camp to be organized here to-night.

Among those interested in the camp to be formed are Alexander H. Sands, C. I. Carrington, Stuart A. Howard, Robert Leasurier, William Hinds, R. E. Peyton, Jr., Waller Holladay, George N. Skipwith, G. Concerning the report that cures for Bright's Disease and Diabetes have peen disposered in Son Francisco.

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The Rev. Meade Bolton McBryde, son of Dr. J. M. McBryde, Blacksburg va., who for the past year, has been the assistant minister of St. Paul's Church, Petershurg, Va., has received a unanimous call from the vestry of St. Paul's Church, Saitville, and Christ Church, Marlon, Va., to become the first rector of Preston Parish.

Mrs. H. E. Anderson and daughter, Eisle, of Richmond, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. James Gibbons, in Seneca Falls, N. Y., have left for Jersey City and Long island to visit her mother and relatives there before returning home.



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Excursionists Around Venice Use Modern Means of Propulsion.

VENICE, July 10.—Motor boats bid fair to supplant gondolas for the longer excursions to the islands around Venice, such as Murano, Barano, Torcelle and others. Every day one sees them taking travelers from the Riatto.

Another feature of Venice which seems to die out is the music boat which stopped in front of the hotels while slet singers swenaded the visitors. Thes, musical gondolas can no longer float along the Grand Canal, owing to the danger of collision with passenger steamdanger of collision with passenger steam-boats. The gondoller has indeed fallen upon evil days.

### H. H. ROGERS CURED.

No Longer Diseased With Enterprise, He Says.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, July 10.—H. H. Rogers, in writing to a friend recently concerning an offer made to him to participate in a new business venture, replied as follows in declining the proposal:

"If I see was diseased with enterprise, I am now differ a synamation that Mr. Rogers's disinclination to embark in any new business enterprise is due to the attitude of the present administration toward corporations of all kinds, including the Standard Oll Company.

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